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SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment in response to the Office Action of July 9, 2009, whose three-month response date expired on October 9, 2009. Applicant respectfully petitions for **one-month extension of time** to respond to the Office Action of July 9, 2009. The extended period for response expires on November 9, 2009. The **\$130 one-month extension fee** is being paid by credit card.

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